

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2436
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COAL MINES IN RAJASTHAN
JASWANT SINGH BISHNOI

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of coal mines in Rajasthan, location-wise and mine-wise;
- (b) the amount spent by the Government for the development of these mines during each of the last three years and till date, mine-wise;
- (c) whether the Government propose to explore more coal mines in the state; and
- (d) if so, the efforts made in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COAL (SHRI SYED SHAHNAWAZ HUSSAIN)

- (a) : At present there is no working mine in the State of Rajasthan.
- (b) : Does not arise in view of the answer given to part (a) of the question.
- (c) : No coal reserve in Rajasthan has been established as per exploration of coal reserves carried out by the Geological Survey of India in the country till 1.1.2001. Therefore, at present, there is no proposal to explore coal mines in the state.
- (d) : Does not arise in view of the answer given to part (c) of the question.